

The Pocahontas Times.

Hear, Land o' Cakes and brither Scots,
Frae Maiden Kirk to Johnny Groats,
If there's a hole in a' your coats,
I rede ye tent it;
A chiel's amang ye takin' notes,
An' faith he'll prent it.—Bums.

Local Events.

Ex-Congressman Dorr is in town.

R. B. Kerr, of Durbin, was in town this week.

T. A. Sydenstricker and family spent Sunday in town.

Professor Crawford has a class in sacred music at Huntersville.

Miss Grace Carey of Huntersville is a pupil of the Lewisburg Female Institute.

Miss Glenna Hill will have charge of the music department of the Marlinton Academy.

T. A. Bruffey is principal of the Hillsboro Male and Female Academy for the coming session.

Henry Westhook has nearly recovered from his gun shot wound and is able to walk about the town.

The temporary court-house is to be moved to the opposite corner across the street in an easterly direction.

The Marlinton Academy opened with fine attendance Monday. Professor Morris principal, Mrs. H. A. Yeager, assistant.

Misses Virginia and Fanny Kelly, of Durbin, have entered as pupils of the Marlinton Academy and are boarding with Mrs. H. A. Yeager.

T. S. McNeel is building a commodious law office on a lot facing the court house, which he recently purchased from Mrs. E. May McWhorter.

The Pocahontas Bank will occupy the building known for years as the "bank building," but which has been occupied lately by Dr. Price as his office.

Lost: Between Buckeys and Marlinton, a new black cape, trimmed in fur and braid, lay down collar, on Saturday, September 24. Return to Times office.

The fine herd of cattle sold recently by Col. Geo. S. McNeel weighed 1378. The weights of cattle have been very disappointing this year owing to the drouth.

C. Thomson has option on all the lands owned by C. L. Moore. This property has on it an alum spring that will eventually prove to be a very valuable affair of its kind for nervous and dyspeptic ailments.

Beckley McComb and Gilbert Sharp are at work putting up a new school house, 24x32, on land donated by C. L. Moore, near William Moore's on Brown's Creek. The key is to be turned over by December 20.

John and Calvin May, whose wives were Lizzie and Lillie Moore daughters of John R. Moore near Marlinton, have fine estates on Anthony's Creek, the fruits of their energetic industry. In a short time Calvin will remove to the Scott farm and John remain at the home place.

On a recent visit to the store of Jackson, Cackley & Co. of Ronceverte we noted the large floor space utilized in their business, and the completeness with which it is filled with merchandise of every sort. The gentlemen connected with this firm are all well-known in Pocahontas. They enjoy to an unusual extent the confidence of their patrons.

When the records of the county were moved to Marlinton to the temporary courthouse, a brick, steel lined fireproof vault was furnished for their reception. It has been in disuse for a number of years and last week it was sold to H. A. Yeager for \$15. He will move it to his residence and rebuild it for a store house. He says he has wanted a mouse-proof store room all his life and thinks he has at last secured it.

A few days since the writer passed near the grave of Elisha Jacobs, on upper Anthony's Creek. More than sixty years ago he came from Botetourt to Pocahontas and lived as a tenant with James A. Price at Marlinton. He was a reformed gambler and had been a professional of more than ordinary skill and success. He would never encourage anyone to learn, and feelingly advised the writer to have nothing to do with cards under any pretext whatever.

A feat was performed in Marlinton some time since which was after the style of the finding of the needle in the haystack of which we have all heard. When the Lewisburg people occupied the reunion grounds as a camping place with seven tents, Miss Janie Stuart Price lost a pin which she valued highly. It was a massive gold fork-head with ruby sets for the eyes. After the tents had been taken down Norman Price of the Times went there one Sunday afternoon to look for it, and after about three hours search found it under a big oak tree near the dining table. Hair pins, collar buttons, and other articles too numerous to mention were strewn around in great profusion.

Floore-Herold.

An interesting society event occurred at Mt. Vernon church, near Frost, W. Va., Wednesday, September 21, 1899, at 11 a. m., when Isaac Price Moore and Miss Myra May Herold were united in the holy bonds of matrimony; Reva J. A. Ruff, of Monterey, and W. T. Price of Marlinton, officiating ministers. The bride is a daughter of Mr. Andrew Herold, and the groom is the youngest son of A. Washington Moore. They are well known and highly respected young persons.

The bridesmaids were Misses Kate Gibson, Annie Moore, Lucy Sharp, and Icie Hannah, escorted by Messrs Howard Barlow, Letcher Herold, William Gibson, and Peyton Moore in the order named. Mrs. Laura Herold presided at the organ with her characteristic taste and musical skill. This was the first marriage ever celebrated at Mt. Vernon. The auditorium was profusely decorated with ferns, evergreen weathes, potted plants and flowers.

At 8 a. m. a bountiful breakfast was served at the home of the bride and at 1 p. m. a reception was given at the home of the groom. The superb dinner was enjoyed by a hundred or more guests. About 3 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Moore departed on their bridal tour to Virginia. The display of presents was very attractive as well as useful and numerous.

A Premonition.

George Simmons, the oldest son of Mrs. Jacob Simmons, who was so foully murdered last week, was in town Monday. Since his mother was buried he has been in search of the fugitives, and he is possessed with the feeling so common in cases such as his that he will never rest easy until punishment for the offense is inflicted.

The strangest thing connected with the occurrence was his actions the night of the murder. He was at McClintic's Camp, about 16 miles from home. He was in the office talking to Mr. McClintic and Clerk John McLaughlin. He says that he felt that something was wrong at home and spoke of it and his feeling of impending evil was so great that about 8 p. m. he took his horse and started home. The whole way is over a private road built by W. McClintic and is thro' the densest woods. There is not a house on the road between the camp and his home. A more lonely ride could not be imagined. It is a ride which Withrow McClintic takes often at night, but it is considered remarkable even for him.

When about five miles from his home at the Barlow Top he met the messenger coming to tell him of the tragedy.

A Cloud Sea.

The scene of the sun rising above the fog, seen from the top of Droop Mountain, is one of the utmost magnificence. The Levels and to the north as far as the eye can reach is enveloped in a cloud sea of dazzling whiteness. To the west the Greenbrier Mountains emerge from the mist, giving the effect of an inland sea or lake and the projecting spurs of Droop carry out the effect of bays or inlets. As the sun warms the surface it breaks and columns begin to rise and the tints reflected are truly beautiful. The view from Droop is familiar to many, but few have had the opportunity to see the scene we have attempted to describe. It would well repay an early morning trip to the mountain, or spending the night on its top. As one reluctantly leaves the scene and descends into the valley he can hardly realize that the cold damp mist that envelops him, shutting out the sun, is crowned with so much beauty. These cloud seas may be witnessed in more or less grandeur from any of the high mountains bordering the Greenbrier Valley, early in the morning during the summer and fall when the lowlands are wrapped in mist.

Serious Accident.

Last Friday Reuben E. Overholt late of this county was driving down the Ronceverte hill with his son Malvern in a road wagon. A team immediately in the rear of his wagon was about to become unmanageable and he went to the assistance of the driver. In some way he was thrown down and the wagon passed over his leg, crushing it badly. He was taken to Ronceverte and the last accounts received was that he would have to suffer amputation.

His home is between Frankford and Falling Springs. Mrs. Overholt was in Pocahontas the time of the accident, and went down on Saturday.

Mr. Overholt was a Confederate soldier who saw much active service and who was noted for his coolness under fire.

The Times will move into larger and better quarters in the temporary courthouse next month. We expect to improve our plant and keep pace with the development of the county.

G. W. Mann will open a butcher shop in Marlinton next month and will keep fresh meat always on hand.

Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters for Rheumatism.

FROST.

Fine showers and some frost.

W. A. G. Sharp is at home from the Levels where he has been helping with Bird's thresher.

Some of the railroad hands have been passing here.

Howard Brisco has something down the line that takes his eye.

J. Pollin of Marlinton was in this place last week.

Ed Spitzer and Miss Annetta May are back from Anthony's Creek.

And the Moore and Herold wedding went all right.

Rev. Pullin has closed his protracted services at Mt. Tabor with success. The disturbers of public worship will be looked after at October court.

C. C. Sharp got his finger cut quite a bit on a saw at the lumber camp.

T. M. Gum and C. S. Curry are done threshing, and are going back to their sawing at Taylor's on Galford's Creek.

H. & H. are getting on some new goods.

Henry Sheets of Green Bank was in Frost last week.

Sherman Gibson and Butler Sharp are the champion wheat drillers in this part.

Dr. Jordan of Pendleton county has located at Frost.

Mrs. John Warren is among friends at this place.

Mr. Sam Lightner and his niece of Highland are visiting here.

Peyton Moore is sawing again.

JUMBO.

GREEN BANK.

And it rained.

J. H. Curry is on the sick list.

Mrs. P. D. Arbogast, of Travelers Rest, has diphtheria.

The beautiful church at Arborevale will be dedicated October 8. Let every body come and bring your dinner and don't forget your pocket book and a few dollars to help pay off the amount due.

The church at this place has been painted which adds much to its appearance.

Miss Cordie Wooddell is home from Addison.

Miss Cleek, of Mt. Grove, is visiting Mrs. J. L. Warwick.

Miss Lucy Sutton, of Meadow Dale, is visiting George H. Beverage's.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Bertie Nottingham to Mr. Forest Warwick, September 27, at 9 a. m. Immediately after they will leave for an extended bridal tour to Washington and other places.

Keep your eye on the indicator, there will be another soon.

Justice Phares was in town Saturday.

SOMEBODY.

LOBELIA.

Raining and very cold.

Seeding, cutting corn, and turkey hunting is the exercise of the last week or so.

John Eagle got badly hurt crossing a pine log, falling off on a snag breaking several ribs.

Some bears in this community looking after feeding locations. We have a fine red oak mast.

Prof. J. B. Grimes is teaching the Lobelia school.

E. A. Hodges is off to Ronceverte for W. B. Hill & Co. accompanied by G. M. Williams.

E. B. Hill of Jacox starts to Richmond today.

W. B. Hill killed 3 fine turkeys, and says there is abundance of them but they will take care of themselves.

Lee Beard bought a nice lot of calves of L. C. McMillion. He said he paid a nice price for them.

We learn to-day that John McClure of Locust Creek died this morning at 5 o'clock.

P. Henry has opened a lumber camp on Williams River. Quite a lot of the boys are out from here.

OBSERVER.

MILL POINT.

Miss Bessie Edgar returned to the Valley Female Seminary at Waynesboro last week.

Dr. S. C. Beard and daughter Miss Emma of Lewisburg were visiting relatives in the Levels last week.

F. R. Hill returned to the University of Virginia to complete his course in the Law Department this session.

Miss Lulu Wallace and Robert Wallace of Bath, who have been visiting their cousins the Misses Wallace and brother, returned to their home last week.

Misses Emma and Minnie Christian of Augusta county, Va., who have been visiting their aunt Mrs. M. J. McNeel the past fortnight, returned home last week.

Last Monday afternoon a terrific hailstorm occurred near Dille's Mill. While the storm was on a stranger traveling in a covered buggy tried to protect his horse's ears by adjusting a slouch hat on its head, and while doing so the hailstones cut his hands like glass and made them bleed.

C. F. Gay found a pocketbook containing about forty dollars, on the road near Huntersville. J. W. Coff of Mingo was with him and claims to have seen it first. Mr. Gay advertises for the owner of the purse in another column.

PLANS FOR MARLINTON.

Every indication that Marlinton will boom.

The lots at Marlinton will be listed and placed on the market October 15th. The prices will be fixed according to locality and general desirability.

Col. McGraw has decided to establish waterworks and three springs are under consideration all of which are convenient to the town, and anyone of which would supply an abundance of fine water.

Marlinton is all ready crowded and it is within the bounds of perfect accuracy to say that hundreds of people have been kept from moving to Marlinton this year because of the lack of buildings.

Arrangements are being made for the representative business men to organize themselves into a board of trade for the advancement of the interests of the town and county.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Pocahontas Bank will be held in the bank building of the Pocahontas Bank, in the town of Marlinton, Pocahontas County, West Virginia, on Saturday, the 14th day of October, 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing a board of Directors, making by-laws, and transacting any other business which may be lawfully done in a general meeting.

Given under our hands this 23d day of September, 1899.

Chas. R. Durbin,
J. F. Rodamer,
Jeremy G. Case,
E. M. Upton,
John N. Beckley,
John T. McGraw,
T. M. Jackson,
C. P. Dorr,
C. Sprigg Sands,
E. M. Turner,

Found.

Between Huntersville and Driscoll a pocketbook containing a sum of money. Owner will receive same by proving property and paying cost of this advertisement. C. F. GAY, Marlinton, W. Va.

Notice is hereby given to the members of the Greenbrier Alumnae Association who have not paid their dues this year and last that they are requested to do so at once. A glance at the bylaws of the Association will inform you what is due.

President.

During the next week or ten days, while our new gallery is being built, persons wishing a photograph of residence, family group or special view done in Platinum or Steel Finish, suitable for frame, can be accommodated by calling on me at the Marlinton House.

Respectfully,
W. A. SLAVEN,
Manager Peerless Art Gallery.

R. B. SLAVEN,
SHEET METAL WORKER.
AND DEALER IN
Stoves and Ranges.
Marlinton, W. Va.

Cumberland Milling Company.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
FLOUR, FEED, SALT, HAY, ETC.
HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR ALL KINDS OF
HARD WOOD LUMBER, BARK, TIES, AND WOOL.
FRANK A. PARSONS, Manager.
HUTTONSVILLE, W. VA.

Marlinton House.
Recently repaired and refurnished. Good service at reasonable rates. Best accommodations for man and horse in town.
Rates: 25cts per meal.
Board and lodging \$1 per day. Reduced rate by the month.
C. A. YEAGER, Proprietor.

Livery Stable.
A new Livery Stable has been opened in
MARLINTON, W. VA.
Headquarters in big barn opposite the court-house. Good teams furnished at reasonable rates.
G. W. MANN, Propr.
Frank Anderson, Mgr.

YOU'D BETTER HURRY!
FOR WE ARE
Going! Going! — No No Yet — "Gone" But
OUR STOCK IS STEADILY GROWING LESS
BECAUSE PEOPLE APPR. CIAT& THE BARGAINS WE OFFER.

See our Capes The \$2.50 And \$3.00 Grade Now \$1.20 \$2.40 And \$2.75.	Our Clothing All Kinds Black Gray. \$7.75 Now \$5.95 Grade \$4.90.	Children's Clothing Blue Gray And Black None Better They Go With The Rest.	Some People Jumping On our Wholesale Prices Fit the Family For Next Winter Have You?
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The Golden Store.
THE GOLDEN RULE:
Let Goods and Prices Talk!

SPECIAL MEETING.
The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company.
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.
Richmond, Va., Sept. 7th, 1899.
Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the Stockholders of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company is called and will be held at the office of the Company, in the Pace Building, in the City of Richmond, State of Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, on Tuesday, October 24th, 1899, to consider and act upon such measures as may be presented, designed to aid the Greenbrier Railway Company in the construction of its railroad, including a contemplated issue by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company of its bonds for not more than the principal sum of \$3,000,000, to bear interest at 4 per cent per annum, the principal to be payable on December 1st, 1900, and both principal and interest to be payable in gold coin of the United States of the present standard of weight and fineness, and without deduction from either principal or interest for any taxes, assessments, or stamp duties which the Railway Company may be required to pay or to retain therefrom by any present or future law (such bonds to be secured by a mortgage on the franchises and railway of the said Greenbrier Railway Company), and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

The stock transfer books of the Company will be closed at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co., 23 Wall Street, New York, on Tuesday, September 26th, 1899, at 3 p. m., and will be re-opened on Wednesday, October 25th, 1899, at 10 a. m.
C. E. WELLFORD, Secretary.

Loan Wanted.
Big Interest Guaranteed!
The loan is your eyes. They're the best judges of the tremendous bargains we offer. To their shrewdness we confidently appeal. The interest is a saving of 10 to 35 per cent, payable immediately on every bill of goods you buy of us. Our broadest foundation has always been, What is best for our customers is best for ourselves. We now have our store chuck full of bargains for you. Come and see us.
Yours, respectfully,
L. D. SHARP

Big Sale of Live Stock.
At the home of J. W. Marshall, deceased, a Mingo, Randolph County, West Virginia, on the 6th day of October, 1899, I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder the following property:

- 25 Head of Good two-year-old Steers.
- 14 Head Good two-year-old Heifers
- 20 Head Good Yearling Cattle
- 15 Head Fine Cows
- 1 Poll Angus Bull, Thoroughbred
- 15 Head Good Early Calves
- 200 Head Good Stock Ewes
- 225 Head Lambs
- 5 Well Bred Bucks
- 1 Bay Horse
- 1 Light Bay Mare and Colt
- 1 Black Yearling Colt
- 1 Sorrel Mare
- 1 Bay Mare and Colt
- 1 Two-year-old Shorthorn Bull

Terms given day of the Sale.
C. B. SWECKER, Auctioneer.
F. P. Marshall, Executor.

NEW GOODS

Our fall and winter stock is now complete, and never before have we been able to present to our patrons so large and well assorted stock as we now have on hand. We have been told by many customers that no other store does as well by them as we do. We certainly try to excel. We have the facilities and the disposition, and no one else ought to be better able to satisfy a customer than we. By years of study and systematic practice we have—to some extent at least—worked over the problems of profitable buying, and this experience is as much to our customers' benefit as it is to ours. If you are not with us come to us; others have never regretted it, and neither will you. All we ask is to compare prices and qualities, and you will find we can save you money.

Very respectfully,
Jackson Cackley & Co.,
Leaders of Low Prices.
Ronceverte, W. Va.

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